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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
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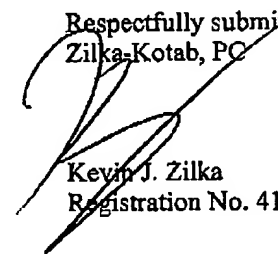
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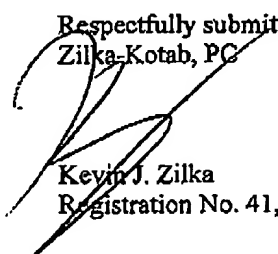
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**SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT D**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2005 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed March 3, 2006, and as a substitute for Amendment D mailed December 13, 2005, please enter the following amendments believed to place the claims in condition for allowance.